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5. [] LIAISON Mr. Palmer, in Representative Augustus Hawkins' (D., Calif.) office, called and asked whether the Agency has contracted with any of the five following corporations within the past five years: []

[] Palmer asked for copies of any contracts the Agency entered into with these companies. I told him that I did not know whether we had any contracts with these companies, but that if we did they were operational matters which we only discussed with our oversight committees. I suggested that Representative Hawkins discuss the matter with Representative Lucien Nedzi (D., Mich.). Palmer said he did not know why Hawkins wanted this information.

6. [] LIAISON Received a call from Peter Hanley, on the staff of the House Government Operations Committee. He is making an informal survey of agencies exempt from the competitive Civil Service system with respect to their policy on hiring people who have been cured from cancer. After checking with [] Office of Personnel, and [] Office of Medical Services, I called Hanley back and provided him off the record a rundown on how our Agency deals with this matter.

7. [] Spoke with Molly Dillon, on the staff of the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence Operations, about her call to Mr. Cary requesting clarification on information which she had sent to us. We covered several points in which we either clarified the information to her satisfaction or provided her with additional information to complete what we had already given her. She appreciated our prompt response and said she would call us back if she had any further questions.

8. [] LIAISON I accompanied [] [] NIO, to a briefing of Representative Dale Milford (D., Texas), in his office related to collection programs and changes therein on which he had been briefed during his trip to [] in late 1975.

9. [] LIAISON I spoke with Everett Bierman, Minority Staff Director of the House International Relations Committee, concerning the provisions in S. 2662 on the involvement of U. S. narcotics agents overseas in activities involving the use of force or the arrest of foreign nationals. I told him that the language of the bill itself did not bother us but some language in the Committee report did. I explained our position and he suggested that I give him a blind memo on the matter and he would see to it that the matter was clarified during conference on the bill.

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